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NOTIFICATION

The State Government is hereby pleased to constitute a committee under the Sikkim Geotech Society, an autonomous Society under the Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Government of Sikkim, to create a synergy between all Geographical Information System and Remote Sensing activities in the State Government consisting of the following members, namely:-

1	Secretary in Charge, Department of Information Technology	Chairman
2	Superintending Engineer, Roads and Bridges Department (In-charge of Geographical Information System)	Member
3	Superintending Engineer, Rural Management and Development Department (in-charge of Geographical Information System)	Member
4	Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Env. & Wildlife Management Department (in-charge of Geographical Information System)	Member
5	Joint Director, Mines, Minerals and Geology Department (In-charge of Geographical Information System)	Member
6	Architect, Urban Development & Housing Dev. Department	Member
7	Senior Scientist, Science & Technology and Climate Change Department (In-charge of Geographical Information System)	Member
8	Joint Director, Department of Information Technology (In-charge of Geographical Information System)	Member
9	Programme Director, Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department	Member Secretary

The Committee may co-opt new members if the need is felt.

2. The terms of reference of the Committee shall be as follows, namely;-

- (1) The Committee shall create an inventory of Geographical Information System related equipment, software satellite maps, contour maps, data and hardware equipments existing resources including currently available.
- (2) In order to avoid duplication of Geographical Information System equipment and satellite imagery, new procurements of such equipments would require the concurrence of the Committee.
- (3) All the spatial data, like cadastral maps lying with the various departments shall be shared.
- (4) The Committee shall explore ways and means to host Geographical Information System application and data on the internet cloud.
- (5) The Committee shall identify the Data centre for installation of the National Land Record servers.
- (6) The Committee shall recommend latest technologies like use of UAV (Unmanned Air Vehicles) for Geological Information System surveys Radio Frequency Identification for storing data, etc.

3. The Committee shall meet once in 2 (two) months.

4. The Committee shall cease to exist on the expiry of six (6) months from the date of the notification unless its tenure is extended by the Government.

By order and in the name of the Governor.

**(R. Ongmu) IAS
CHIEF SECRETARY
GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
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